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This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR 1.114 of the above-identified application.

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ii. X Other Amendment under 37 CFR 1.116	
b. Enclosed	
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ii. Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s) iv. Other	
2. Miscellaneous	
a. Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 CFR 1.103(c) for a	
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b. Other	
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ii. X Extension of time fee (37 CFR 1.136 and 1.17)	
iii. Other	
b. Check in the amount of \$ enclosed	
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SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY, OR AGENT REQUIRED	
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